

complain a great deal at the low prices, especially where they have to go so far to

Beulah, Nov. 21.—Farmers are busy in the field now taking out their grain. They

The boarding-house has changed hands and the result is a great improvement. Walter F. Reid is to be seen clerking Mr. George Stewart's store. J. S. Stephens has been visiting his friends in Rapid City. J. B. Rogers has opened a butcher shop in town. Miss Fowler intends visiting binscarth.

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Dress 76 per yard.
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LOCAL NEWS.

J. Hall returned to Griswold last week.

Frank A. Tabbly, of Wawanesa, was in the city last week.

Thursday's train from the west was 10 hours late owing to a heavy snow storm.

Messrs. C. E. Hall and Thos. Doherty, of Alexander, were in the city last week.

J. A. Grundy, of Winnipeg, and H. Watson, of Stockton, were in the city last week.

Judge Walker was over to Rapid City last week holding a sitting of the County Court there.

Wheat went up a cent in the local market last week, when 50 cents was the price for a good article.

Mr. Landont and Ald. Cameron had a few days hunting last week. Much success they had we do not know.

N. F. Davis, M. P., will deliver one of his celebrated lectures here in the Opera hall on the evening of December 8th.

Messrs. Roe & Heckling, of Rapid City, have secured the contract for the mail running between that place and Brandon.

The managers of the Curling club are getting the rink in shape for the roaring game, and they hope to make things hum this season.

Miss Simpson, of Winnipeg, has taken a position in Fleming & Son's drug store here with the object of taking up a course of pharmacy.

The pupils of the public schools are now working hard and the teachers in view of the promotions which take place at Christmas.

Dr. Spencer's scheme for the Brandon water power will be launched at the next meeting of the council. It is to be hoped that it will meet with favorable consideration.

The 12th of December is the day appointed by law for holding the annual meeting of Agricultural Societies. The Brandon City Society will hold its meeting at the City hall on that date.

The season's game was started last week. There was in first class competition. There was quite a large turn out of the "Hessie boys" on Saturday night and some first rate games were played.

At the Academy one of the boys this week had the misfortune to have his knee badly sprained while playing football. We are glad to say, though, that he will soon be able to join in the game again.

Mr. Bewell of the City schools, was called to his home, Port Perry, Ont., last week by the dangerous illness of his father who has since died. Mr. Bewell has the sympathy of both teachers and pupils.

The regular meeting of the Literary Society of the Academy was held on Friday night last on account of the weather, not so much attended as usual. Some very excellent instrumental music and an address from the Rev. Mr. Mason was the chief attraction of the evening.

The Bell Bros. hoped to have their fine block on the corner of 12th and R. R. so far completed that they will be able to open their new grocery store there by the 1st of December. They are rushing the building along at a great rate.

Police Magistrate Todd ruled on Saturday morning a magisterial case. A young man north of the city failed to pay his hired man, Chas. Young. The magistrate's decision was an order to pay at once or a distress warrant would be issued.

The Board of Trade held a meeting on Thursday evening last when it was decided that a deputation consisting of the president, vice-president and Mr. Sherill, should wait on the City Council relative to some advertising the Board have had done.

The Fire Brigade appear to have a cause of complaint in regard to the hook and ladder truck. This, it appears, they have to pull by hand and they say it is too heavy. As it is one of the first things that ought to arrive at a fire some other means of locomotion should be adopted.

A partnership has been formed between Mr. Morris, of the Brandon Post Co., and an eastern gentleman of the name of Hendry, to handle coal in Brandon. It is their intention to do a jobbing trade chiefly. Mr. Morris has a brother who is largely interested in oil in Ottawa.

Geo. Dounterville, who is wanted on a charge of horse stealing in Southern Manitoba, and who was arrested a short time ago at Detroit, Mich., is well known to the police authorities here. This man has already served a sentence in the jail here for being too free with horses owned by other people.

The last few years it has been the custom to have dog races on New Year's day in the city, when the youth of the city, with their canines, gather on one of the principal streets and hold high carnival, much to the amusement of their older brethren. It is not unlikely that more elaborate races than ever will take place next New Year's, when some good prizes will be hung up for the races.

About ten days ago Mr. S. Bower missed from his store a valuable fur overcoat. Mr. Bower had been on the look out for it for some days, and on Friday last he and the Chief of Police visited the second-hand store kept by Mr. Berkman. Mr. Bower and one of his clerks swore to a coat that was produced. Mr. Berkman stating that he had had the coat in his possession for two days, though his books told a different story, as by them the coat had been sold on the 28th November by a man who rejoiced in the name of "Mummy." The coat was given up to Mr. Bower. Another coat, which was stolen last week from Mr. J. T. Somerville, had previously been found in the possession of Mr. Berkman.

St. Matthew's Church choir has lost one of its most valued members in Miss Miss Morrison, the leading soprano, who left on Wednesday evening of last week, accompanied by her mother and brother, for Montana, where they will in future reside. Before leaving, Miss Morrison was presented with a very handsome bracelet, given as a mark of appreciation by the congregation and the members of the choir for her very valuable services.

Mr. Young, of Vinden, was in town last week.

Miss MacKinnon, of Fort William is visiting friends in the city.

Mr. W. A. MacDonald, M.P.P., paid a visit to Winnipeg last week.

John S. Bambridge returned last week from Watford, Ont., and left for Souris.

Mr. Daly, accompanied by his sister, Mrs. Woon, left for Winnipeg Saturday morning. There they will join Mr. Daly and proceed to Ottawa.

Mr. Orde, of the Dominion Lands Office, left on Saturday for a three weeks holiday in Ontario. Mr. Orde's numerous friends all wish him a pleasant vacation.

Mrs. M. Kelly, who took a prominent part in the Brandon bazaar, being the successful candidate in the competition for a ladies' gold watch, returned to Winnipeg last week.

W. H. Irwin, photographer, has moved into his commodious rooms in the new Miller block. Mr. Irwin's enterprise warrants him in occupying the whole of the upper flat and a portion of the first flat.

The Fire brigade have been busy the past week overhauling and filling the tanks in the various parts of the city. The 4th, 9th, 10th and 13th street tanks are now full, and the city is in good shape to fight fire.

The recent heavy downfall of snow, accompanied by a higher temperature, has brought out all the available sleighing vehicles in the city. Rosser avenue presents a busy scene these days, particularly in the latter half of the day.

The friends of Miss Ella Christie will regret to learn that she is lying dangerously ill in Toronto, to which place she went this fall to pursue her studies. John Christie, her father, received a telegram announcing her serious illness.

Rev. Hugh Pedley, of Winnipeg, preached to a crowded congregation in the Presbyterian church on Sunday evening last week. In the morning he conducted the anniversary services at the Congregational church, the sacred edifice being handsomely filled with worshippers.

A musical treat is in store for the citizens of Brandon on the evening of the 12th and 13th December, when the Chicago Ladies Quartette will occupy the opera hall. The reputation of these well-known performers has gone before them, and they will, no doubt, be greeted with a bumper house.

Chief Clerk and Constable John Nelson, of Deloraine, provincial police, arrived in the city last week with two Deloraine house thieves lately arrested in Detroit. The arrests being just concluded, these men will have to remain under the care of Mr. Nelson for some time before they can have their trial.

The time for the election of the city fathers is at hand, yet everything with regard to it is very quiet. Two of the aldermen, Messrs. Gilson and Russell, have already resigned, and will not seek re-election. Dr. McPherson will, in all probability, be elected without opposition for another term.

Mr. W. H. Hooper has been doing a roaring business during the past week in auctioning off valuable furs in Daly & Caldwell's block. This sale seems to have attracted a large number, and some have been lucky in their purchases, one well-known citizen securing a very handsome fox robe for \$22.00.

The silver wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lee took place last Friday. A social was held at their residence on 12th street, at which a large number of their friends were present. Among the many beautiful articles presented were a handsome silver service and tray and a magnificent gold-headed cane. A most enjoyable evening was spent by all who were present.

The Turf club of Brandon, have made a running race for two year old colts and fillies, to be run on the 21st of May next. Entrance fee \$25, distance three-fourths of a mile. \$5 payable on or about the 1st of January, 1893, \$10 on the 1st of March, and \$10 on May 1st, to Mr. Francis, Secretary, Brandon. To this fund the club will add \$200, and the colts and fillies in the proportion of 50, 30, and 20 percent respectively. This ought to be an attractive race, as all owners of colts and fillies foaled in 1891 will have a good opportunity. The management of the club should be thanked for their liberality and energy.

It is very generally believed that a number of our most prominent citizens entertain the project of building a large woolen mill in the city. Once convinced the farmers that they can readily dispose of their wool, and sheep will receive the attention that they deserve. There is a constant stream of what money raising out of the country to pay for mutton raised in Nova Scotia, and there has been no better means suggested to remedy this state of affairs than to start a large woolen mill with large capital behind it. The projectors of the mill intend applying for a charter and forming a joint stock company.

A very pleasant evening was spent at the marriage of Miss S. E. Scott to Mr. F. Mace at her home on Wednesday, November 23rd. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Mr. Walker, of Griswold, at 6.30 p.m. The bride was arrayed in fawn-colored satin and lace, and carried a magnificent bouquet of flowers, from Winnipeg. The bridesmaid's costume was adapted to the bride's attire. After the ceremony the reception was served, of which eighty partook. The bride's guests were from the surrounding vicinity and her relatives from Winnipeg. A couple of comic songs by Mr. Best, a duet from Magee Bros., a guitar solo by Mr. Way, with various games, enlivened an evening mainly spent in tripping the light fantastic toe. The bride was presented with fifty-two presents, among which was an elegant set of bed-room furniture from Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Henderson, of Winnipeg, and six valuable presents from the groom's relatives. The value of the whole of the presents was estimated at over \$300, besides a number sent to the groom from Brandon. Every one joined in wishing the young couple every prosperity and happiness in their future life.

Mrs. Watson, of Belmont, is visiting friends in the city.

Mrs. Thos. Knight has left to join her family in Chittawack, B. C.

Jas. Sheriff has gone to Grand Forks to give evidence in a trial there.

C. W. Maywood has opened out in the piano and organ business in Brandon.

Alex. Burns, the genial deputy district registrar, has been confined to his dwelling these last few days by an attack of illness.

Mr. J. Ball, General Secretary of Calgary Y.M.C.A., will address the young men's meeting at the Y.M.C.A. rooms on Sunday evening.

The ice skating rink on 10th street opened last Saturday evening, when the knights of the glittering steel were given an opportunity of indulging in their favorite sport free of charge.

The demand for Estevan coal in the city is assuming large proportions. J.D. Kennedy, the agent here, has been unable to supply the number of orders that have been placed with him so far.

The Band of Hope concert on Tuesday evening last given under the auspices of the Y.W.C.F.P. at the Presbyterian church was quite a success. The following ladies took part: Misses Preston, Land, Peterson, McKenzie, Bawden, Annett and Mrs. Campbell, and Messrs. Johnstone and Matthews.

Independent Order of Foresters.

Court Odanah, I. O. F., was instituted in the Orange Hall, Minnedosa, Man., on Nov. 24th, with twenty-five charter members, representing \$30,000 of insurance in addition to the sick benefits.

The following officers were elected:— E. W. Vickers, C.D.I.C.R. Mayor Fairbairn, P.C.R. Cape, Cottingham, C.R. W. B. Waddell, V.C.R. E. J. Mills, R.S. G. H. Arncliffe, P.S. S. J. Lamb, Treasurer. James Goodwin, S.W. P. Macpherson, J.W. J. Stanley, J.R. J. McPherson, J.P.

THEATRICAL.

Last Saturday our reporter paid a visit to the Asylum. The new portion is busily engaged in the construction of the new building, and the contractors are to be congratulated on the fine class work they have done. At present they are rather kept back by the want of heating. The painting that has been done so far is a credit to the contractor.

It is the intention to open the new building by the Asylum when all the patients are to be taken care of here instead of at Stonewall.

At present there are 30 patients all of whom are doing well.

Dr. Bell leaves on a trip to Toronto and Montreal Tuesday and will be absent three or four weeks, though he hopes to return in time to spend Christmas in the city.

A POSSIBLE INDUSTRY.

Messrs. Brown, Webb and Gidge, representing an English firm, doing a business of \$35,000,000 annually in London in milk, butter, eggs and cheese, and owning immense packing establishments in Russia, Denmark and Ireland, had a conference with Hon. Mr. Culling, Minister of Agriculture, in London, Ont., the other day. As a result they have opened up a branch business there. It is also intended, says an Ottawa exchange, to commence operations in Manitoba and the Northwest. These gentlemen believe that they can produce in Canada a bacon equal to the best produced in Denmark. Today Danish bacon is worth from 3 to 4 cents a pound more than the American product. The impression abroad is that the corn-fed American hog does not produce the best bacon. The food grown for fattening will be potatoes and peas. The firm will also handle and pack Canadian butter and eggs, which they claim are not now handled and placed on the English market in the best condition.

STEVAN, SAYS WHYTE.

General Superintendent Whyte, in conversation as to his visit to Estevan last week, said he was surprised at the great progress that had been made in the mines. More permanent progress was visible than three weeks ago, was manifest for the previous season, and it was now evident that all difficulties were overcome. While at the mines he inspected the drift, going into the various chambers, and was much pleased at the work in progress. At the present time 100 tons per day was being got out, a change from the shaft which was in process of construction is completed, the output will be increased to nearly 200 tons of coal per day. The product of the mine has greatly improved in weight and in color, and in comparison is better than the article from the Hazard mine a quantity of which is being delivered at Brandon. The railway company was distributing large quantities of the Estevan coal at several points in the province, and in the northwest farmers were using it for fuel this winter.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES.

The Literary Society of the Y. M. C. A. held an entertaining meeting last week when the subject debated on was, "Trial by Jury" was preferable to trial by jury. Messrs. Wilson and Thompson were for the affirmative and Bates and Whyte for the negative.

The programme for the next two meetings has been arranged. That for Dec. 6th is Music; Paper and discussion, "The Sociology of the Old Testament," Mr. G. D. Wilson; Debate, Resolved "That the Franchise should be given to Women," affirmative, Messrs. D. R. Campbell and H. Patmore, negative, Messrs. A. G. Hean and W. H. Shillinglaw.

On Dec. 20th Mr. Geo. Whyte will give a recitation and there will be a debate on this question, "That the liquor dealers should receive compensation in the event of prohibition." Several members met in conference at the rooms on Friday evening last. As a result of the conference there will be more attractions in the rooms during the winter.

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" 7.00 " " " "	4.75
" 5.50 " " " "	3.67

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